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Title: NOPE POLYPEPTIDES, ENCODING NUCLEIC ACIDS AND METHODS OF USE

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 Patent Application Bibliographic Data Sheet  
 1 Page application cover sheet  
 61 Pages of specification (includes claims and abstract)  
 7 Sheets of Formal drawing(s)  
 Pages of an executed Declaration for Patent Application  
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 Statement Under 37 CFR 1.821(f)  
 An executed assignment and cover sheet  
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This application is based on, and claims the benefit of two (2)  
U.S. Provisional Applications, Serial No. 60/174,496, filed  
January 4, 2000, and Serial No. 60/205,789, filed May 19, 2000,  
both entitled NOPE POLYPEPTIDES, ENCODING NUCLEIC ACIDS AND  
METHODS OF USE, and which are incorporated herein by reference.

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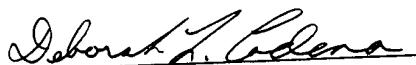
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